

Rhode Island Department of Education

Supplemental Educational Services 2005-2006 Service Summary Information

Blackstone Academy

Name	SPIRIT at Blackstone Academy
City & County	Pawtucket (Providence County)
Contact:	Carolyn Sheehan 401-726-1750 x102
Proposed location of service delivery	Blackstone Academy 334 Pleasant Street Pawtucket, RI 02860
If service delivery is not at the student's school, is transportation provided, and if yes, is there a separate fee? (Note: Districts are not required to provide or pay for transportation.)	No extra fee for Saturday Academy sessions. \$25/month for after-school transportation from student's school.
Service period start & end date for 2005-06	Start: 9/26/05 End: 6/9/06
Type of certification of instructors	RI Certified Teachers
Individual or small group (maximum # in small group)	After-school sessions: Small groups of up to four (4) students. Saturday Academies: Individual support services
Length of each tutoring session	After-School sessions: 90 minutes Saturday Academies: 3 hours
Number of sessions per week	After-School sessions: 2 per week Saturday Academies: 2 per month
Cost per session	After-School Services: \$13.12 Saturday Academies: \$96.50
Grade levels served	8 - 12
Tutoring available in Reading and/or Math	Reading
Title of tutoring curriculum utilized	Various, tailored to student needs.
Scientifically based evidence of effectiveness	Higher promotion/graduation rates; decreased suspension and disciplinary

	actions; improved grades and NWEA assessment scores
Specifics of reporting to parents & school (format, frequency, method of communication)	Brief quarterly narratives on progress with relevant assessment information.
Description of services available to diverse populations (i.e., children with disabilities, specific languages)	Emotional/behavior problems ADHD support Spanish language services
Other information:	Computer-based on-line student assessment